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CONTAMINATED MEDIA
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Inventor: Lorrie Hunt, Jim McKinley and Rod McElroy
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U.S. Patent Documents

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Issued</u>	<u>Inventor(s)</u>
4,151,067	April 24, 1979	Grow
6,049,021	April 11, 2000	Getman
4,941,134	July 10, 1990	Nyberg, et al.
5,376,182	December 27, 1994	Everett, et al.

Foreign Patents

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Publication</u>	<u>Inventor(s)</u>
WO 97/14765 A	April 24, 1997	Davis, et al.
WO 02/22252 A	March 21, 2002	Collings

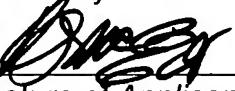
It is respectfully submitted that the Applicant's invention defines patentable subject matter over the teachings of the above references, alone or in any combination thereof. Accordingly, favorable action on this application is respectfully requested. A completed

form PTO/SB/08A, delineating the above references, is enclosed, as well as a copy of each of the references.

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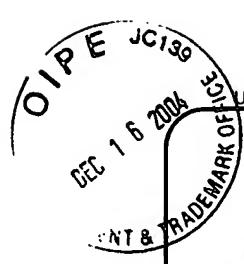
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